

A Personal Letter from Mama to the FM Family

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Dear friends and mates,

I love each of you dearly! Although I prepare all of the GNs with you in mind, the Lord recently laid it on my heart to write a Letter just to you, with His words that would be especially targeted to your needs, our dear Fellow member Family.

2. One of the things that I've strongly sensed in the letters that I've received from a number of you over the years is your determination to continue to serve the Lord despite the different challenges and struggles you have faced. Peter and I admire you so much for that, and we pray for each of your requests and situations.

3. I wanted to tell you how proud Peter and I and the Lord are of you! We are so grateful for all of the sacrifices you make to further the Lord's work through your faithful labors, to love and apply the Word, to witness, and to be a sample of the Lord's love not only to your families and loved ones, but to the people the Lord brings across your path.

4. While praying for you, I felt moved to ask our wonderful Love for some special messages just for you, in recognition and honor of your important role in the mission and work of the Family. I know that many of your labors of love may seem to be unseen and even be unappreciated at times, as they are often part of your day-to-day life, and others may never see all that you give and sacrifice, or what it costs you to stay true to the Lord and His calling. But the Lord sees it, and Peter and I realize it as well.

5. Peter and I love you very dearly, and we are so thankful for your love for the Lord and your willingness to fulfill the role He has for you in His service. We couldn't do the job that the Lord has given us without you—and we're not just saying that; it's the truth! Your labors of love, your prayers, your contributions, and the support you give in so many ways to your fellow missionaries around the world plays an important role in helping the Family to reach the lost and to bring the Lord's love to every corner of the Earth.

6. When I thought of the struggles that you have faced, the times when you have battled with afflictions, or felt alone at a very difficult time in your life, or suffered the loss of a loved one, I was moved to tears and overwhelmed with admiration. I felt burdened to tell you how thankful Peter and I are for each of you, how much we love and appreciate you. Peter and I are so proud of you! And as you'll see by the Lord's commendation that follows, He's very proud of you too.

7. As you read the Lord's words of commendation, you may be tempted to think about the ways in which you feel you fall short, or the mistakes that you have made. Or you might think about the ways that you feel you could be a better witness, or give more, or do more for the Lord. I think we can all be tempted to feel that way when we read the Lord's words of love and praise for us. But the amazing thing about our Husband's love is that He sees the good and the possibility of good in each of us, and He gives us credit for every time we love and give unselfishly, every time we reach out and share His love with others, every sacrifice we make, whether big or small.

8. He also understands our weaknesses, the times we stumble or don't do as well as we could have, and He lovingly renews His mercies for us each day, and gives us new opportunities to

give Him our best. He's so wonderful, isn't He? His unconditional love for each of us is one of the best motivations we can have to continue to give our hearts and lives to Him, to stretch and grow, and to love and give even more.

9. As you read these words of commendation from our Husband, please take the time to meditate on them and to apply them to yourself. The Lord gave them for each of you. They are personal words to you from our Lover.

You are of unique worth to Me

10. (Jesus:) Oh, if you could see the look of admiration and pride on My face as I gaze on you now, My beloved ones! If you could only realize and be convinced beyond any doubt how much you mean to Me, how important you are to Me, how precious, how rare and valued you are in your unique way—each one of you, who have given your lives in such sacrificial love, devotion and service to Me and to My Family for years and years! This means everything to Me!

11. You have already established your special place and laid up great rewards in My Kingdom, and you are adding more to these each day that you continue to faithfully walk the path of My will. The rewards of victory are already waiting for you here, My valiant soldiers of faith!

12. You are of unique worth in My battle for Earth and the souls of men! Your importance to the success of the war to win the world for Me is unquestionable, and I and the Family could not win without you, My faithful ones. You are some of My greatly valued instant witnesses, My undercover agents, in a world that is increasingly given over to the Enemy; you shine like bright candles in the dark for men to be warmed and enlightened by your heavenly glow.

13. I want to commend you, My dear ones, for staying true in the face of the many trials of faith that you have endured over the years—in the face of discouragement, battles with affliction, loss of loved ones, financial difficulties, feeling unappreciated or alone at times, and on the list

goes. In all these things you have been, and are now, more than conquerors! None of these trials of your faith have ended in your defeat, because I have been with you in each one, lifting you up, giving you the grace and faith and will to keep on fighting despite how difficult the battles were and how much the Enemy tried to make you quit. You won the victory, and you will keep it as you continue to press toward the mark for the prize I have waiting for you.

14. The future of the Family is brighter and more exciting than ever, as you unite forces in the Offensive to conquer the world like never before. You are walking into the light of a bright future, and as you continue to advance as one, I will pour down such a flow of blessings that there will not be room enough to contain them!

Remember the heavenly vision

15. (Jesus:) So few truly understand what it costs you—the sacrifices, the giving of yourselves, of your time, energy and finances, giving My love and Word to others, being a faithful witness in a world that is growing increasingly cold and dark.—And you do it all with such grace and humility. I tell you, My loves, you are among the most selfless people this world will ever see.

16. Though others might not understand all that you give right now, I do, and “He who seeth in secret will reward you openly” (Mat.6:4). That day is not that far off, and when it comes, all—I repeat, all—that I saw in secret I will reward openly. Every bit of kindness you showed, every prayer you prayed, every witness, every gift of sacrifice, every tear shed for another, every trial your heart bore to fulfill your mission, every dollar given to support others, down to the last cent. All that you gave in secret, or that was not acknowledged or recognized in this life, will be rewarded openly.

17. As the saying goes, “Nothing the heart gives away is lost; it is kept in the hearts of others.” In this case, not only has your giving and sacrifice been kept in the hearts of those you

gave to and sacrificed for, but most of all, it is kept in My heart. It is noted by Me, recorded in the heavenly annals of your life's achievements, and added to My "must reward, honor, and celebrate" list.

18. I have a scribe assigned specifically to take note of your life's achievements—those acts of love and sacrifice. These scribes have been created for this very purpose, and they are perfectly skilled at their task. They do not miss a thing, not even the tiniest prayer for others or any kind word that you speak.

19. These faithful ones consider each kind act or word and each witness you give as being of immense value, and therefore they are meticulous in their record-keeping. Nothing is missed, My loves. One day, you're going to find that most of the things that will be celebrated in the next life are things you had forgotten about, or that had seemed so small and insignificant that you had brushed them aside as inconsequential. But nothing escapes My eye.

20. So keep the heavenly vision. Meditate on the life to come and all its beauty, glories, and rewards. When you keep that vision, the day-to-day trials, tests, and discouragement come back into perspective. That doesn't mean that what you're feeling or going through or the burdens you bear aren't real, but the heavenly vision clarifies the reason you're bearing these things. That understanding is strengthening, refreshing, and gives you the motivation to continue carrying the cross you so faithfully bear.

21. When you are tempted to feel discouraged, remember the heavenly vision. When you are tired and weary, remember the heavenly vision. When you feel alone, remember the heavenly vision. When you feel like your witness falls on deaf ears, remember the heavenly vision. The heavenly vision represents thousands of "heavenlies" cheering you on from their realm, praying for you, that your faith fail not, loving you, whispering hope and encouragement. The heavenly vision is Me by your side, closer than a friend and always nearest when you need Me most.

One in a million

22. (Jesus:) What if you, My faithful Fellow members, weren't around? Let's think about that for a minute. Every good, loving, evangelizing, positive action that you've taken would have never happened. Maybe some of you don't think you're as active as you'd like to be, but the fact is, you each do a lot of good, and I'd lose all of that if it weren't for you! I'd suddenly be thousands of trained soldiers short, heading into the Last Days. And you're not just any soldiers; you're children of David who have been trained for years through the Word to understand what's really going on in the spirit world, and to be used by Me on Earth.

23. If it weren't for you, the Family would be that much smaller. You're virtually one in a million. I need you, plain and simple. I'm sure the Enemy loves to make you think otherwise. I'm sure he's tried to come in with some pretty logical thoughts about how the part you play doesn't make much of a difference. But I tell you that every man, woman, and child counts in this fight to win the world. I can't spare you! I can't do without you! If I were to lose your help, it'd be a loss to the Kingdom, and that's a fact. I need you, and you are vital to My Kingdom on Earth. Every Family member has an important role to play in the course of history, by reaching people with My Word in preparation for the time of the End.

24. Everything on Earth is woven together in an intricate connection—the choices of nations, the actions of world leaders, the state of nature and the environment, the choices of Christians.—And the Family plays its role as well. How all these factors connect and move together affects the course of history. Since the Family has a role to play, that means you have a role to play. What you do makes a difference; it matters. Everybody counts!

25. You are full of training and spiritual power and knowledge. Even if you don't feel very active right now, what if the days of the End suddenly came upon you? Don't you think you'd rise to the occasion? Or what if a natural disaster or war struck your area? You'd be one of the few

that know Me and have My words, and could help and encourage and be a blessing to those affected.

26. Your connection to Me and My Word makes this possible. You're not like everyone else, and you're not just another member of society. You're called and chosen, and I need you now and in the future. Don't underestimate yourself! Feel useful and needed, because you are.

27. Think of yourself as a member of My army, a soldier under My command, one who is there to play his role with excellence in the present, while staying clean in heart and spirit, ready to do more for Me should I need you in the future. Because, just as I need you today, I will also need you in the future!

28. (Mama:) I couldn't agree more with our Husband's words of appreciation and commendation! Each of you is one in a million, and your faith, determination, and commitment to the Lord and the Family are so important and invaluable, and will be even more so as we move further into the Offensive!

29. I know that a number of you have struggled about your role in the Lord's service, or at times you have felt that the Family has not been appreciative enough or fully acknowledged the sacrifices you make to stay true to your calling, to support the Family, to witness, and to bring up your children as Family members. It breaks my heart to hear that any of you have felt unappreciated, or that you haven't received the respect you deserve for your role in the Family's mission.

30. Over the past several years, the Lord led us through a pretty intensive training program in order to prepare for the Offensive. Much of our attention and efforts were focused in that direction, to ensure that the Family was trained and ready to become the offensive witnessing force the Lord has called us to be. Due to the intensity of this focus, I think that some of you have felt left by the wayside, or as if there wasn't as much of a place for you in the Family of the future.

31. Peter and I are very sorry if any of you have struggled with feelings of discouragement

or have felt that your role was not appreciated, and if the focus of the last years has contributed to that. As the Lord has said, we can't win this offensive war without every single hand on deck, each person fulfilling their unique role, whatever it may be, and supporting the roles of others. Peter and I truly believe that.

32. We have to advance together as a team in "one unbroken line," each fulfilling our part in order to achieve victory. There are so many roles to be played, and the Lord wants to use each person in the specific and unique way that He has planned.

33. (Jesus:) If you struggle with some aspect of your life and service for Me, or your role in the Family, whether it's because you are discouraged that you can't do more, or frustrated about some aspect of your place of service, or for any other reason, please accept My reassurance that I'm happy and at peace with you. I'm happy with the role you play in the Family's efforts and mission of reaching the world with My message.

34. I am with you in all that you do. I am concerned about you. I care about you and what you care about. I care about providing your needs. I care about your happiness. I care about your marriages and your children. I care about your witnessing and follow-up ministries. I care about your work and businesses. I care about everything that you care about, because, remember, you are Mine. I need you.

35. The Family of the future will include many different types of people who will be called to further the cause in different ways. The need for laborers, for co-workers, for supporters, is very great. I need many more laborers; that is the way of the future. Members, friends, supporters, contacts, associates, former members—I need them all. I've called you all, and I have a special mission and purpose for each one.

36. You, My Fellow member team, are faithful in your calling in a variety of roles. A number of you have fruitful witnessing and follow-up ministries that are reaching your part of the world. Some of you help the Family to

become known as a force for good through your charitable projects (CTPs) in your community.

37. Your commitment and generosity in giving to help to support the mission of the Family through your tithes and offerings makes it possible for many to receive Me and learn of Me throughout the world. You have a stake in the millions of souls that have been saved—because your support and prayers help make it possible.

38. Another very important role that many of you play is in helping and assisting other Family members in a variety of ways. Some of you offer your houses as temporary bases or landing pads. Some of you are very helpful in assisting young Family members who choose to pursue other careers to do so in a productive manner.

39. Some of you help with goods, services, and in a multitude of other ways. I want you to know that your labors of love, your giving of your time, your service, your assistance, and for that matter, your moral support, are all very important. It all goes into making the Family of today what it is, and as you stay faithful, you will be doing your part in helping the Family of the future to become what it needs to be.

40. Many of you also have a wonderful ministry of prayer. You know the importance I've placed on prayer in the Word, how I've said it is not the least you can do, but rather the most. It is the most important gift you can give, the most effective way to put My Spirit to work.

41. Your prayers are doing mighty things. Your prayers are helping to bring about the effective accomplishing of the worldwide Family's commission. Your prayers are helping the Gospel to be preached in all the world. Your prayers are helping to sustain missionaries and witnesses. Your prayers are helping Me to supply needs. Your prayers are strengthening Mama and Peter and their helpers. I need your prayers. I love your prayers. I appreciate your prayers. I am putting your every heartfelt prayer to use, and I consider your prayers a valuable service in My Kingdom.

42. Another way in which many of you shine is in being witnesses of My love to others. Maybe not all of you can "go out on outreach" so regularly, because you have a job that keeps you busy, you have a family to take care of, or other circumstances that prevent your doing so. Yet, because you have Me and My Spirit, you shine with My love and you touch others with My Spirit, and you are a strength and encouragement to others.—Especially when you teach them more about Me when you have the opportunity, showing them that the virtues and qualities they see in you and your good example are the fruits of My Spirit, the fruits of the Word, the fruits of the Family.

43. I know your hearts, My loves, and I see your love for Me. I know of your devotion to the things of the Spirit. I know and see everything that you have ever given, are giving, and will yet give for My cause. I appreciate every bit of it. I applaud you now publicly for every bit of it. I honor you and I assure you that your reward in Heaven, and even on Earth, is guaranteed.

44. (Mama:) In one of the recent testimonies I received in response to our request for testimonies about Offensive victories, there was a very touching testimony from a Home on a poor mission field which was the recipient of a generous donation from one of you, dear Fellow members.

45. I'm highlighting this testimony, as I read it recently, but it is just one of the hundreds, if not thousands of testimonies that could be written about the sacrificial giving and support of you, our Fellow member Family. Peter and I are so proud of you, our dear comrades in arms, and even if we can't personally acknowledge every instance of your sacrificial giving to make the Family's work possible, I hope that this testimony will be a good representation of all that you faithfully and cheerfully give, and how you go above and beyond the call of duty to further the Lord's work.

46. (By Michelle, LP Home, Thailand:) It's been exciting to be in the launch of the Offensive. The Lord has done so many things for us in the

past few months; we know it is truly a work of the spirit and nothing of ourselves. All we've had to do is to take the beginning steps to try new things and be open to whatever the Lord has for us or wants us to do. We've had to very quickly say yes to the opportunities He has been sending our way, and not succumb to our old mindsets or lack of faith. We've found that in wholeheartedly embracing the challenge put before us through the Offensive, and all of the changes it is meant to bring about in our lives and Homes, He comes through for us each and every time!

47. The prayer drive was very helpful in changing our mindsets and attitudes about prayer and how we could pave the way ahead of us during the Offensive through our proactive, targeted, out of bounds, professional prayers! Our united prayer vigils have come alive, and our faith has been stretched to be more specific, definite, and to expect great things from the Lord.

48. One such prayer request we had was for 100,000 baht (US\$3,300). We had several pending expenses to cover and needed that much to cover them. We didn't know anyone who could give us that amount, and we had no avenues for raising that large amount within the time we needed it by. But the Word had challenged us to pray out of bounds prayers and stretch our faith to receive more from Him.

49. After a month of praying proactively for this amount, a Fellow member that we had never worked with before got involved in some charitable projects with us (we did them in his home town in another province). He asked us to pray for him as he was working on some business deals, and said that he would help us with a large gift if the deal came through. When the deal did come through about a month later, he generously gave us ... 100,000 baht (US\$3,300)! GBH!

50. (*Mama:*) **God bless you, dear one, for sacrificially giving from your heart,** and for helping to boost the Offensive in your part of the world!

51. **The point in highlighting this testimony is not to draw your attention to the amount of**

money that was given—though we have left in the amount to highlight how generous and selfless many of you, our Fellow members, are. The primary point I want to draw your attention to is the spirit of sacrifice and brotherhood that was attached to this man's giving!—And, as I said, this is just one of many, many examples of such giving.

52. **Each of you, dear Fellow members, give to Jesus and to the Family in whatever ways you can, according to your means and situation, and you deserve great credit.** Some of you might not have the wherewithal to give so much financially, but you give in other ways that are just as important, if not more so—such as through your prayers and support in the spirit, your faithfulness to witness and reach the lost, and to impart your faith to your children.

53. **The Lord has a specific plan and purpose for each of you,** and the role He gives you to play may be different from what others are called to do. He may want you to invest more of your time in witnessing. Or maybe it's in being a prayer warrior for the souls that He wants to reach and win through the Offensive. Or He may be calling you to focus on giving your children the best upbringing you can so that they can also learn to love and serve the Lord.

54. **If you haven't already done so, please ask the Lord what His special role is for you at this crucial time in Family history.** I'm sure He'll be faithful to show you what His plan and will are for you. Then, be prepared to overcome any obstacles, and do your best to fulfill it.

Mastering the hurdles

55. (*Jesus:*) **You will face obstacles in life as you live your faith.** As witnessing Christians you will always face some obstacles. The more actively you live your Christian testimony, the more of a witness you are, the more difficulties you will probably face. But you will also have more successes and results for your actions.

56. **The key to success is the determination to reach your goals no matter how many**

hurdles you have to leap over. Your role has its own set of hurdles, and you simply have to master them and keep going. Every role in life comes with its own set of difficulties. Those who accept that they have to keep their eyes on the goals and work hard to reach them, despite the obstacles, make quicker progress.

57. What about those times when you feel that you didn't do well or failed in some area? Everybody makes mistakes. In fact, the most accomplished people have made some big ones. But if you let mistakes shake up your soul to do better, then better things will happen.

58. Some of you might feel that you have failed, or even that you're failing right now.

And certainly, all have failed and come short in some way or another. But failings and mistakes are the things that help you to reach your destination. They're part of the job description; they come with the territory. They're the price you pay in order to achieve success. So don't let feelings of failure become an insuperable obstacle. The way you do that is by accepting that mistakes in the past are helping to pave the way of the future. Forget the past and look to the future, which is as bright as My promises!

59. I've put you in a strategic and valuable position to be a voice for your faith to those you meet. I know this position can be challenging and even difficult. But at the same time, I know that if you will stay determined to be the best Christian and Family member that you can be, your life will be filled with many successes. You have many other responsibilities, but always remember that one of your most important responsibilities is your witness.

60. (Mama:) I want to remind you of the importance of using the weapons of the spirit that the Lord has given us for overcoming the obstacles and difficulties that are a part of our lives here. No matter what sort of difficulty you are facing, the Lord has promised to pour forth His power to overcome, as we learn to wield the weapons of the spirit and work with our spirit helpers.

61. (Jesus:) The key of galvanization will stimulate you to action in your use of the spiritual weapons. It doesn't matter what previously held you back from fully accessing the power that comes through the spiritual weapons. Through claiming the key of galvanization, the impetus of My Spirit will course through your spirit, invoking a surge of desire to draw on My heavenly power in increased capacity. You'll want to see, experience, and receive the power of the spiritual weapons, because you need what I have to offer!

62. (Jesus:) My dear ones, Heaven's power and resources are fully available to you! They're there for you, and I've ordained it so that at the touch of your faith, you can have access to great power through utilizing the power of the spiritual weapons I've given you. I want to remind you of this, because sometimes you're tempted to feel that maybe I only bequeath a measure of Heaven's power to you, but that is not the case. You can have premium results from the use of the spiritual weapons; it's a guarantee!

63. It all starts with belief. When you believe that you have such spiritual wealth and power at your fingertips, it increases your conviction to appropriate that power. You come to Me boldly, with full faith and expectancy, and I can't help but honor you for such a stand. In fact, I delight in pouring down My blessings upon you. I love to fill your life with good things, touches of My love, and blessings.

64. While certain spiritual weapons may sometimes seem more effective than others, don't let that limit how much you use all of them. It's often in the most dismal circumstances that praise will lift your spirit the highest, give you hope, and renew your perspective to keep forging ahead in faith.

65. Your prayers have the power to rock the world, alter lives for the better, and bring down miracles. I long for you to claim more through your prayers, and to enhance your prayer power through claiming the keys. There is so much that can be achieved through your prayers. You have the training

and foundation to be mighty prayer warriors! So rise to the occasion and summon the power of Heaven for positive results both in your lives and in the lives of others.

66. Heaven is brimming with power—you simply need to channel it. Put Me on the spot, claim the heavenly assistance that is yours to partake of, and you'll be thrilled with the results. Everything is in place for you to receive great and mighty things from My hands; simply speak the words, do your part to follow how I'm leading you personally, and trust that I will fulfill My end of the bargain.

67. The power that I give you through the spiritual weapons is a significant sign of My love for you. When you avail yourself of their power, our love is strengthened, and the energy and vitality of spirit that comes through these spiritual tools fills your life in unprecedented ways.

68. (Jesus:) Using the spiritual weapons as best as you can, and looking for ways to cultivate your use of them, enhances our love connection. In My great love for you, I've given you these tools that enable you to complete your mission on Earth. I know you will face many obstacles and tests, and I want to ensure that you are prepared for them with the spiritual weaponry you need. When you use the spiritual weapons with conviction and belief, you are in essence declaring your acceptance and appreciation of these gifts, which in turn perpetuates My ability to keep pouring down My love gifts upon you.

69. I want to challenge you to show your love for Me through more readily using your spiritual weapons and spirit helpers. I don't ask you to do this just as a proclamation of love and obedience, but because I want your lives to be practically and powerfully improved through your use of the spiritual weapons. The more you avail yourselves of them, the more you will see and experience My power working through you and for you. The spiritual weapons are My gifts to you. Let them change your life for the better!

70. (Jesus:) As one of My brides, you have the right to access and command the power of Heaven. You can experience the supremacy of the

spiritual weapons at work in your life, in your family, in your work, in the decisions you make. It's there for you. I want you to grab ahold of them and use them to better your situation, enhance your connection with Me, and to bring out the best in you and those around you.

Greater expectations

71. (Jesus:) My wonderful brides, ask what you will and it shall be done unto you! Let this be the era of greater expectations—greater expectations of Me and of what My spiritual power can do for you. Make the commitment in your heart that you will live in greater faith and expect greater things of Me.

72. There is nothing in your personal situation that I cannot help you through. There is no battle you are facing that I cannot give you victory in. There is no dilemma, physical obstacle, or outright "impossibility" that I cannot overcome. There is no discouragement that I cannot replace with courage, faith, and joy. There is no hurt that I cannot soothe with My mercy and love.

73. My spiritual power is begging to be used by you. There is so much more I could be doing for you if you would ask in faith, believing. There is so much more strength, joy, hope, faith, vision, and victory that you could be experiencing if you would only tap in to My spiritual power more.

74. Using the spiritual weapons as much as you can will make your lives easier. This means that you must depend on them to work for you. You must have greater expectations of what these weapons can do for you. It's like the quote, "Miracles will happen for those who are excited about seeing Me work" (ML #3713:51, GN 1259). You must get excited about the spiritual weapons and My heavenly power, and you must expect them to do great things for you. It's that great expectation—which is faith—that will activate these weapons and cause them to bear fruit in your life.

75. As William Carey once said, "Expect great things from God, attempt great things for God." In other words, the more faith you have in God, the more God can do through you. If you want to go far, if you really want to make a difference in the Offensive,

if you want your life to be fruitful and successful, then make this your motto and your career goal: to expect great things from God. Hold God to a higher expectation than you ever have before. As you expect greater things from Me and My Father, then you will be empowered to do even more for Me!

76. (Mama:) It's so exciting to read the Lord's promises! He has awesome victories and successes lined up for this special time in history!

77. I hope that you will review His promises in this Letter and that they will be a strength and encouragement to you in each challenge or time of difficulty, as well as a reminder of His abiding love.

78. Peter and I love you dearly, and will be praying for you and for your loved ones. We're expecting great things from God on your behalf, and we know He's going to continue to bless you, supply for you, and reward you for your faithful labors of love.

With much love and admiration,

Mama

A Standing Ovation

79. P.S. Following is a rousing vision from the Lord of the rewards and commendation that await you. Our wonderful Love is so good to us!

80. (Jesus:) Picture, if you can, a massive stadium filled with hundreds of thousands of people. It's the end of an event and the crowd has gone wild with applause, hoots, screams and whistles, while they give a standing ovation. Confetti is raining from what seems like the sky, and fireworks are exploding overhead. Music fills the atmosphere and streamers are caught up in the balmy evening breeze. The applause seems to continue—on and on it goes—until it eventually blends into a single united beat. “Encore! Encore! Encore!” they shout.

81. You step up to the podium, but instead of the crowds becoming hushed, the applause erupts even louder, as the orchestra strikes up again and your bows of gratitude ensue. It is a true celebration of you.

82. This, My love, is what I have prepared for you some years from now when your earthly commission is finished, and you stand before all of Heaven to receive your reward for a life well lived and a job well done. This is when, amidst all the fanfare, you will hear Me proclaim, “Well done, My true and faithful servant, friend, and love. Enter thou into the joy of your Lord.” This is when you will see all of Heaven—My courts, My angels, My people—rise in a standing ovation for your job well done, and follow that with a deep bow in honor and reverence for your life lived in sacrifice, in faith, in love, and in honor of My name.

83. If you are ever tempted to get bogged down in the present, with all its complications, difficulties, trials and tests, stop and take a few minutes to think about that day to come. Imagine in your mind's eye all the wonders that I have in store for you—the praise, reverence, prestige and honor that will be yours when you get here.

84. It's not outlandish or fanciful to imagine what awaits you. In fact, the truth is that you can't even begin to imagine all the wonders that I have in store for you. Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard the things that I have prepared for you who love Me (1Cor.2:9). But one thing you can know is that your imagination can't outdo Mine—it can't even come close!

85. So go ahead and dream a little. Dare to imagine. Take a break from the cares and burdens and concerns of this life by catapulting your spirit into the future. Let your mind take flight into the heavenly realm where you're the celebrity, where your earth life of daily sacrifice, toil, and faithful service to Me is recognized and celebrated every day.

86. You can't begin to imagine what it will be like to walk down the street and have everyone you pass know who you are and greet you with a salutation of admiration, praise, and recognition for your life's achievements, but that's exactly how it's going to be for you one of these days. You are heroes in this world's pageant.

87. So don't allow your vision to be clouded by the challenges of today, My loves, but rather live in celebration of tomorrow—that wonderful world that awaits you!

India Trip Witnessing Adventures

Accounts of Mama's Instant Witnessing During Her and Peter's Trip to India, 2009

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The bus driver's victory

1. Peter and I always try to give a tract and tip to bus and taxi drivers, and to any other service personnel we meet. So, as is our custom, on our trip to India I had given a tract to a bus driver with a "God bless you," and thought no more about it. On our return from India, I again gave a tract to the same driver, not recognizing him and not realizing I had already given him one several weeks before.

2. As soon as this man saw the tract, he became very excited. He waved it in my face and enthusiastically exclaimed, "You gave me this! You gave me this! Last time, you gave me this!" Before I realized what was going on, he had thrown his arms around me and given me a huge hug! Though it was difficult to understand him because of his broken English, I gathered that it was because of the tract that he had gotten a job that he desperately needed. Here's what Jesus had to say when we prayed about him later:

3. (*Jesus:*) Karl was working part-time driving the bus. He had been struggling for months to make ends meet, with the present economic situation. He had been trying so hard to find a job and had become discouraged. Even though he knows Me, because of these difficulties he began to doubt My love for him. The first day you met him, he was on the brink of despair.

4. Then you gave him that tract and I was able to speak straight to his heart through it. He finally realized that he'd been so busy trying to work things out himself that he wasn't trusting in My love for him and his family. He felt My Spirit encouraging him that something good was about to happen.

5. That tract was the key that lifted his faith when it was at its lowest and helped to turn his situation around.

Kitty's search

6. (*Mama:*) Kitty was a young European woman I met on the plane who was college age, very refined and beautiful. When I brought up the subject of faith and how we have to have it when the world is so bad, she responded that she just wanted to hide away and not think about anything, because there didn't seem to be a solution anyway. My heart really went out to her. She seemed so lost.

7. (*Jesus:*) Kitty is a searcher, as so many her age are. She is a sensitive soul and sees the intense darkness around her, but doesn't know what to do about it. I'm working in her life now. The tract you gave her opened a door of faith in her life. It will take a little time, because even though she doesn't want what the world has to offer, she is a little afraid of delving too deeply into the spirit for fear that it will turn out to be empty and miserable. She fears that if her hopes are dashed again, she will have nothing more to hope for.

8. Your prayers are the water of My Spirit that will bring to life the seed that was planted by the tract. Each time you pray for Kitty, she will have a flashback of her time talking with you and she will be encouraged. The more she is reminded of this, the more she will be curious to find out more about Me. I'm engineering a series of setups for her that will eventually lead her to finding Me. You were one stage of that setup; your prayers are another.

9. Many people, like Kitty, have had to steel themselves to their world in order to survive, but beneath what may seem like a nonchalant attitude there is often concealed a frightened, desperate sheep longing for its Shepherd.

10. (*Mama:*) Family, please pray with me for Kitty and for all of those like her, who don't

even know they're searching, but are desperate for the answers and comfort that only Jesus can give.

The young man at the airport and the aura

11. In Bangalore, while we were pushing our cart of luggage through the airport to the security check, we had slowed to a virtual stop, waiting for those in front of us. With nothing to do but stand there, I glanced around, and along the wall to my right was a row of people sitting. One young man stood out from the rest because he was smiling sweetly at me. It's not that it's so exceptional for people to smile at me, but the Indians didn't seem to have that inclination, at least unsolicited, to smile at an unknown American woman. It doesn't seem to be their custom. He wasn't flirting, nor even showing undue interest.—Just smiling a very sweet, welcoming smile.

12. As usual, when something rather different happens, I take it as the Lord's check that He wants me to do something about it! And usually what He wants me to do is to give the person a tract. So, making sure that one of our team was looking out for my luggage cart, I took a "Somebody Loves You" tract out of the folder beside my passport and walked over to the young man and handed it to him with the words, "Here's something for you." Then I had to quickly go back to my luggage cart, as the line of people began moving on.

13. We went through security and then to the check-in desk, and while we were standing there, all of a sudden the same young man appeared, obviously wanting to speak to me.

14. He said, "This is so beautiful."

15. I wanted to talk to him more, but we needed to proceed quickly to our gate. I was comforted, however, that an address was on the tract, and that if he wanted to get in touch with the Family, he would be able to. Later, when we got home and prayed about this encounter, the Lord said:

16. (*Jesus:*) Some of the most important events are set in motion because someone heard My check and followed it. It often doesn't take

a great deal of time, but the results will one day astound you.

17. I did something special as he sat there searching his heart for something to encourage his family with, whom he was going to be meeting in a few hours. First, I flashed a picture of an angel in his mind. He responded with a question as to whether such angels really exist. Then I did something to get his attention. I opened his eyes in the spirit for a moment.

18. Each person has an aura. An aura is literally your spirit shining out of your body. In that moment, as I opened his eyes, you walked by, and in the midst of the large area, crowded with people, he saw your aura shining with a soft golden color. The whole experience held him captive, and the smile you saw was an unconscious reaction to what he thought was an angel. The next thing he knew, you walked over and handed him the tract. His spirit was totally open and hungry for whatever you gave him.

19. As he read the tract, he knew that it was a message from God and the answer he had been seeking. He searched the airport trying to find you, and finally did. When he came up to you he had a thousand questions running through his mind, but all he could do was show his appreciation by telling you how beautiful the message was.

20. He had received Me when he read the tract, and when he got home, his family saw inner strength and a smile on his face. He read the tract to them and then prayed with them.

21. It's just the beginning of the changes My Spirit has brought into this young man's life that are going to have an impact on many. Even when you can't afford to spend hours with someone because events beyond your control prevent it, like catching your flight, you can still have a great impact if you follow the checks I give you. I take care of everything else. I have set things up to accomplish My plan. You are like the key in the music box of My plan that I turn in order to start the music playing; after that, there's no limit to all that can take place.

Encounter with a crippled man

22. (*Mama:*) After we had boarded our plane to Delhi and everyone was seated, and the doors were about to close, one more man boarded and started down the aisle. This man was severely crippled, and his walk was very labored and slow with a serious limp. All of us passengers, with nothing else to do, were watching this man come down that long aisle. I felt very bad for him as he was on display, with every painful step being watched by over 100 people.

23. I had to think fast, because I didn't feel it would be appropriate to reach up with a tract and make him take it as he passed me, so instead, when he reached my seat I put my hand out and touched his arm to get his attention. When I had it, he paused, and I told him, "You have such a sweet smile and a very sweet spirit." He said, "Thank you," and smiled, and proceeded to the back of the plane.

24. Later, I went to the back to use the restroom. I had forgotten all about this man. However, who should I meet coming out of the restroom as I was waiting to go in but this sweet man. He recognized me and looked into my eyes and said, "Thank you for being so kind." I had only enough time to say, "You're very welcome," but I turned and noted where he sat down.

25. I was wondering which tract I should give him, "To You With Love" or "Somebody Loves You." Not being able to make up my mind, I decided I would give him both of them. So as I passed him on the way back to my seat, I turned to him and said, "I wish I could talk to you, but at least I'd like to give you these messages."

26. He took them, smiled, and thanked me. That was the last I saw of him. After our India trip was over and we were home again, the Lord reminded me of this man and said the following about the tracts I gave him:

27. (*Jesus:*) I use whatever is most effective to reach someone with My love. Even a little

piece of paper can be worth more than all the world's gold when you use it as I show you to. It's the little snowball that your obedience starts on its journey down the mountainside of My will. One day you'll be shocked at the huge effect it had on many others.

Prayer for an Indian baby

28. (*Mama:*) As we were standing in the security line, which was moving very slowly, I noticed a baby held in his mother's arms gazing intently at me. I gazed back at him, thinking how beautiful babies are. As I looked into his eyes, the Lord put the burden on my heart to pray that he would sense the Lord's Spirit in me. I prayed that this encounter would imprint the Lord's Spirit in the baby's memory, so that at some point in his life when he needed it, that memory would return, no matter how vaguely or subconsciously, and would help to draw him to the Lord.

29. (*Jesus:*) Babies don't see their surroundings quite like others do. They are so fresh from Heaven that they often see both a person's body and their spirit. This baby saw the light of your spirit and received it. I said that "he that receives you, receives Me" (Mat.10:40). That connection with your spirit enabled Me to strengthen a connection with this baby. He will ultimately have to make his choice when he is of age, but the connection that began in Heaven and was strengthened on Earth is precious.

30. Because babies are new to Earth, every memory and event is implanted deeply in a baby's memory. It may be buried as time goes by, but it's always there. This gives Me the opportunity to bring up the memory of My Spirit in you whenever I know it is most needed. It always pays to use every opportunity to shoot up a little prayer or hand out a tract.

31. I told you that whatever you bind on Earth shall be bound in Heaven, and whatever you loose on Earth shall be loosed in Heaven (Mat.16:19). This baby's parents are not Christians, and this baby was bound, in a sense.

You released that baby from that restriction, and the result will be that one day he will not only come to know Me, but he will turn his parents to Me as well. What you could not have done with your own efforts in the physical, you accomplished through being faithful to pray.

A Russian couple and Activated mags

32. (*Mama:*) On the next to the last day that we were in Goa, taking rest time before traveling to see the Family in Mumbai, I met a sweet couple at the pool. I had prayed that the Lord would give me a special Russian person, or persons, to witness to. I had given out quite a few Russian tracts, but since most of the Russians could not speak English and I couldn't speak their language, I was trusting that the Lord and His Word would work in their hearts. However, I still didn't feel that I had found the person or persons that I had been praying to find. As I walked around the pool, a young woman looked up and I smiled at her and she smiled back. I asked her if she was Russian, and found out that she was, and in addition, that she spoke excellent English.

33. Her husband appeared and he spoke fluent English as well. We sat for a few minutes exchanging small talk. I told them that I had a magazine that I'd like to give them. I ran up to my room and returned with two Russian *Activated* mags that I had brought especially for such an occasion. I had been a little sad, thinking that I would not be able to give my Russian *Activated* mags to anybody, but here was the perfect opportunity. I was very happy.

34. When I handed them the magazines, the husband said, "Are these Christian?" with a rather suspicious tone of voice.

35. I told him, "Yes, they are Christian, but they present Christianity in a different form than you're probably used to. I think you'll enjoy reading them." I also gave them a tract. That was the end of our exchange.

36. I was pretty sure that they were the special people who the Lord had wanted me to meet, even

though they didn't seem outstandingly hungry. However, they had been friendly and had taken the magazines and hadn't refused them. Here's what the Lord said about them:

37. (*Jesus:*) Outwardly, they weren't as desperately hungry as you had hoped, but they were the ones that I wanted you to reach.

38. If you think the shallow hypocrisy of western churchianity turns people off, it's mild compared to the intensely archaic and spiritually dead Eastern Orthodox Christianity of places like Russia.

39. When this couple met you, they felt the alive spirit that emanated from you and they were drawn to it. When they saw it was Christian, their mindsets temporarily took over, but when they pause to reflect in the days to come, they'll remember the light and spirit in your eyes. The inconsistency between their mindsets and the reality they've seen will make them curious to find out more. That will lead them to read the *Activated* magazines.

40. They have a lot to overcome, as so many Russians do. They are sometimes hardened by the past and feel frustrated or unhappy with the present. Because they have so little understanding of faith, they are fearful of the future. The seeds you have planted will need to break through that hardened soil of their hearts. That will take time, but the seeds are starting to sprout, and in time they will break through the surface and develop and bear fruit.

41. I also gave you this taste of the potential in Goa for reaching the Russians. It is slower with them than with others, but once My Word takes root in their lives, it will become solid and unmovable. These two have pivotal roles to play in the future, and that's why I sent you to break through the Enemy's strong barriers, which he has spent much time building. He can't stop My Spirit if My children are determined messengers.

42. Thank you for being faithful, even when there didn't seem to be the obvious open door you were expecting. Sometimes those who are

nearly starved to death hardly realize that there is food before them. It takes a little time for them to recognize it, but they will.

43. Please continue to pray for this couple, that I can open their hearts and draw them to Me.

A Sikh couple receive the message

44. (*Mama:*) On our last evening in Goa, we were paying our bill when I noticed a hippie-looking young man with a long ponytail and beard at the reception counter. I smiled at him and he smiled back. I walked over with the intention of giving him a tract. I engaged him in conversation for a few seconds and then his young wife came up. I began talking to both of them. They were dynamic and enthusiastic, very intelligent and modern-looking. I gave him the tract and he immediately wanted to have my email, which I gave him. He told us that they were Sikhs and that he was a BPO (involved in business process outsourcing). We mentioned that we would be in Delhi in a couple of weeks. They were very congenial and asked us to come and see them when we got there.

45. When Peter and I prayed immediately afterward, the Lord said that meeting us was one step in their journey to find the truth; that this would probably be a long journey for them, but that we had planted the seeds and we should pray for them and be patient.

46. The next morning when we were ready to leave the hotel, this young couple was seated in the lobby. This time, the young man had his hair up in the traditional Sikh turban. We said hello, exchanged a few more pleasantries, and took a photo together. We were on our way to Mumbai and they were going to go to the airport a little later to travel home to Delhi. While we were in the airport, it so happened that I saw them three more times as I walked around. Apparently the Lord wanted to keep them in my mind and me in theirs. I was able to have another short conversation with the young man, telling him a bit about why we were in India and about our religious communities there.

47. While we were in Delhi, I wasn't able to follow up on them because I was sick, but I'm praying that the Lord will engineer it so that they can meet up with the Family in the future. Please pray for this couple, as well as the many couples like them who are such beautiful people that the Lord loves so much.

48. When we asked the Lord about this couple, He said:

49. (*Jesus:*) In their own way, Sikhs accept some of the principles of Christianity. They reject things such as the caste system, and while they see God in His creation, they don't worship the creation. They seek to understand God with their heart rather than their mind and to learn all they can about God. The tract you gave them related closely with what they understand of God, and they sensed your sincere spirits and the joy and spiritual power that you carry.

50. Sikhs overall are freer in spirit than most Hindus, who live in fear and oppression. Their spirits are generally much more open to anything that they perceive as truth. That's why this couple was initially drawn to you. They needed a personal touch, a personal encounter with My Spirit, which I was able to give them through you.

51. These two, like many other Sikhs, are sincere. They are searchers at heart, seeking truth. There is much in their religion that is not right, but some of the core fundamentals are. As you build on that common ground, they will often be willing to accept you and work together with you.

52. Many younger Sikhs, and this couple in particular, are spiritually sensitive and open. When they experience the spirit that emanates from the Family, many are drawn to it.

53. That doesn't mean that you should rush off to evangelize the Punjab. As with many situations, the sheep may be open and hungry, but their leaders are often extremely jealous of the impact you have, and this could lead to serious danger if you're not very wise and prayerful, especially in places where their

leaders have control. For many, reaching them outside of their main regional areas is wiser, or finding ways to approach them through those in places of authority who can open doors that would otherwise be very dangerous to open.

54. It takes great wisdom. This couple is but a small sampling of the potential. Many young Sikhs are more open to outside influence and are searching for something that can take their core beliefs to a new and more meaningful level. These have been raised to have a high standard of what is right. They see the evil of the world and desire a way to reach out to others so they can help the oppressed.

55. When I said that the effects of the Offensive in India were going to be felt far and wide, I wasn't speaking figuratively. Little by little My Family there will discover more and more searchers of truth, and tremendous potential that they haven't yet tapped into.

56. It will take desperate, continual prayer, open channels who are ready to follow where I guide them, and great wisdom to know when and how to launch missions that will liberate those who are waiting to take up the torch of the Endtime by your side.

57. (Mama:) Dear Family, now is the time to ask the Lord to lead you to Indian young people in India and abroad. Many thousands of Indian students and graduates from all over the world are returning to India because of the worldwide recession. Analysts point out that there is now a "reverse brain drain" that India may reap the benefits of for years to come as some of its smartest and most talented people put their energies into India's economy, Asia's third largest. Now might be your last chance to reach them abroad, where they may be more receptive, being out of their home environment. However, even those who have returned to India may be a ripe mission field, as they will be more tolerant of other religions and will be more willing to hear about Jesus' love and power and perhaps even be searching for answers during this time of flux.

Meeting a woman at the Mumbai hotel

58. I told you a brief of the following testimony in my site post, "[Meeting One of the Lord's Sheep!](#)" But I thought that you might like to hear a few more of the details.

59. While sitting with our team and the RSs in the reception area of our hotel in Mumbai, I happened to look up and saw a woman across the lobby walking with several friends. She was smiling at me. This was another one of those unusual "smile" situations where I felt like I should do something, but I hesitated because the woman had already walked out of the reception area and I figured that she would be in her car by now. But, following the Lord's continued urging, I quickly got up and ran after the woman to see if she was still around.

60. I introduced myself and asked who they were. I offered her a tract. As we were talking, Joy came out with a camera and asked if we wanted her to take a picture of us together. The woman agreed. Afterwards, we all went back to the front desk so that she could give us her address and we could send the picture to her. This woman turned out to be refined, high-class, and very precious. Her spirit just seemed to sync with ours. We gave her email, phone number and address to the Family in Mumbai for follow-up.

61. (Jesus:) This is an example of how I can use even little things to open doors to key people. Though you, My love, didn't even notice, you had given one of those special sort of "little girl" giggles that I created in you to catch attention in a positive, disarming way. This sweet woman felt My Spirit touch her.

62. She was very happy when you came out to greet her, and though she couldn't understand why, she felt a kindred spirit in you. Small beginnings can often have greater ends when you follow the checks I give, even when you must do something that seems far-fetched or embarrassing.

A young man on the plane

63. (*Mama:*) On one of our flights I met a young man. I never got a chance to converse with him, but the Lord did. I was sitting in an aisle seat. The stewardesses were in the row behind me, blocking the aisle with their food trolley. The young man stood leaning on the side of the seat across from me, waiting for the aisle to be free.

64. He was about thirty years old, and had a very nice modern manner and dress, and also seemed to have a very sweet spirit. I thought, *The Lord wants me to give him a tract.* So I said, “You look like you don’t have anything to do for a couple of minutes, would you like to read this?” as I offered him the tract.

65. He took it and stood there and read it through. Then he read it a second time, and I believe he was starting on his third time. I didn’t, of course, look at him as he was reading. I averted my gaze and just prayed desperately that the Lord would touch his heart. Finally, as the trolley moved on, he looked at me and smiled, and in a very sincere way, said, “Thank you.”

66. (*Jesus:*) This man is one of My Own. He received Me when he was young, and through his teen years he tried hard to get close to Me. But Europe is a very dark place now. He had slowly given up trying, but I hadn’t given up.

67. Over the last year, he had become more and more immersed in the world. The Enemy was giving him everything he wanted, and yet the more he had in the flesh, the emptier he felt. He was hitting bottom. He didn’t know what he wanted anymore. He was so wrapped up in his mind that he was hardly aware of others around him and was blankly standing there, not really even knowing why.

68. You woke him out of his stupor and caught him completely off guard. He read the tract the first time with half his mind

wandering off, wondering what use there was in living anyway. Then, near the end of the tract, something jumped out at him that caught his attention. He looked at you, but couldn’t figure it out. Then he again started to read from the beginning of the tract. This time he began to realize that I was trying to get through to him. He hadn’t thought about Me much for months; it was as if he was a teenager again, experiencing the thrills he had felt when he tried to connect with Me.

69. By the time he finished the second reading, he was so inspired that he didn’t want it to stop when he reached the end of the tract, so he started over again. Finally, after the third reading, he noticed the trolley had moved away and he was still standing in the middle of the aisle. He started to move on down the aisle. Then it clicked that the woman who’d given him the tract was seated right there. He wasn’t sure how to express what had happened to him, but he wanted to let you know that he was thankful.

70. Now his outlook has undergone a major shift.

71. I have promised that My words will not return void, but I’m going to enlarge that promise to the Family in these dark times. If you’re faithful to give My words even in small ways, I promise that not only will they not return void, but that they will start a chain reaction that will continue to bear more and more fruit as they fan out into life after life. Every drop of My Spirit that you share with others, and every drop of your spirit that you expend in following My guidance will multiply until many have been watered and strengthened and enlightened. Your part is to be faithful to get those drops of spiritual nourishment where they need to be in the hearts of others.

72. (*Mama:*) Please pray for this precious young man, and so many others like him.